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The Real Answer

On election night, when the returns from those states which have national campaigns indicated a large pictures. majority for Mr. Hughes, The Tribune editorially wrote of the re-

California and Minnesota fall to Mr. Rolland's apologia, his collected arWilson or to Mr. Hughes. The year ticks on the many ticks and the modern civilization. Mr. Menshistates have been in doubt to this

his policies. But such a discussion

Long before Election Day there has made help impossible. ceased to be any question about an No one will wish to criticise the of Education, to centralize responsi- of candidates who can meet the reaffirmative vote for Mr. Hughes, motives which sent M. Rolland upon bility and tighten up administration quirements. Long ago the single question of the the path he has followed. Moral of this huge business. canvass became that of the rejec- courage could not be greater. The The Board of Education, as Presition or indorsement of Mr. Wilson. tical failure of so much moral force. meeting where this question was On Election Day the real problem As it happens, M. Rolland himself voted on, has several coordinate dewas not whether Mr. Hughes or Mr. unconsciously illuminates the subject partments. It is a concern which Wilson would be elected, but in this very book. He is discussing costs the taxpayers \$40,000,000 a whether the public would accept or the worshippers of Kultur. His at- the new administration in the board than 34,000 horsepower, with an armareject Mr. Wilson. In the first titude toward the intellectuals of a working agreement with the ment of twelve 14-inch guns, twenty 5son's defeat was conceded by the scorn in "Jean-Christophe" has been ment was entered into, it held it- We have nothing better in our navy, all the returns then available, The Tribune said that Mr. Wilson had been rejected and his policies repudiated. In all this The Tribune was mistaken, and it does not believe that any such conclusion can now be drawn from the election, even if Mr. Hughes succeeds Mr. Wilson by virtue of the turn of a few hundred votes in two disputed states.

Such personal satisfaction as can be drawn from the result belongs to Mr. Wilson; he is entitled to it. The Tribune hoped there would be a straight out issue between Mr. Wilson's policies and those that it believed were braver and better. No such issue was raised because Mr. Hughes steadfastly declined to raise it. Had such an issue been uals who rushed to the support of and supplement them. fairly raised The Tribuna believes Kaiserism seems oddly applicable

challenge and permits no proof.

loses the count, the real honors of for realities. It is not so much that for its schools go as far as the needs Owned and published daily by The Tribuse are count, the election are his. Because The he was measurably wrong in his of the school system demand.

Tribuse has opposed him most bitfacts; the German people were not so utterly different from their rulers or utterly different from their rulers as he asserted. It is that in a nive this fact most faculty. Telephone Building, 184 Nassau Street, New nive this fact most faculty. SCRIPTION RATES -By Mail. Post- Wilson finally loses the present elec- when his nation's very life depended of Greats only 1 mo. 1 to tion he will the nation, as 1 to bally only 1 man 100 man politically in the nation, as 1 to bally only 1 man 100 man politically in the nation, as Mr. much stronger than his party as Mr. Hughes was weaker than his, a man hinder the national uprising could sumed that states might remain neu-DAILY ONLY to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it. "To live or act we can tral if they chose, and that if they restricted to be reckoned with politically be- not assist it." cause of his hold upon popular im- forget them," he wrote of ideas, mained neutral their nationals would Though Mr. Menshikoff has titled his agination and public approval.

The Lady from Montana

There should be a wealth of mabling. We make good promptly if the a Representative-at-Large in the ure, with short hair, hands in trousers pockets and a cigar between her teeth. The lady legislator is an old favorite with those deliciously inhitherto been regarded as pivotal in genious souls who draw our comic

Of course, the facts-which have nothing to do with the anti-suffragists-are quite different. Miss Rankin is not at all masculine; she has Wilson and an answer to his declara- all the feminine charm usually to be tions of policy and purpose. The found in the modern suffragist, and one of her first public jobs was that of "baby placer" for Seattle-findclearly that The Tribune was mis- Also, she is a Republican, has red motives, fails to feel and toil with when a third of the human race could from a repudiation of Mr. Wilson, ever conclusions the critics of suffrage may be able to deduce therecounts that have reached this way, Congress's Power Over Wages from. Judging by the various aca Democratic President since the an unusually attractive and intelli- ened to test the constitutionality of to the war of the future, and distance has a clear idea of this country's life Montana proud.

fact that these great Republican France against him and driven him without due process of law, and that have been killed by Zeppelin raiders future tendencies than the dollar. to Geneva, a self-constituted exile, it is unworkable under the condi-from our detached viewpoint his tions that exist on that railroad, in ously seeking to construct a lighter out of the condi-user tendencies than the dollar. Mr. Menshikoff points out in his ar-ticle how detrimental an effect the exfailure of the Republican candidate

He pleaded with his countrymen to annexed to the bill of complaint.

The least seem moderate enough.

Orate schedules of working hours are ten years hence it will be as easy for sees in this a calamity similar to that ten years hence it will be as easy for sees in this a calamity similar to that and his party and not less clearly retain some feeling of charity tow- annexed to the bill of complaint. ard their enemies; and to remember at all times to distinguish between there can be no question of politics the rulers of Germany and the mass in the filing of this suit. There has mate the influence of the West in of her people. He was as bitter as never been half so much question of the decision and to ignore the ver- any one in his condemnation of Ger- the constitutionality of the Adamson dict of the East, of New England in man crimes and cruelties. He ex-Yet the votes of Massa- pressly repudiated any pacifist the- and justice. Nevertheless, as a matory which would countenance non- ter of form and precedent it is emi- tourists in Europe, are right in declar- the organism." Mr. Menshikoff comes resistance toward an invader. A nently desirable to have the courts believable figures from New Hamp- vague, intellectual internationalism, pass on the question and get it setshire, indicate that the same spirit aiming to minimize the scars which which was abroad in Kansas and war must necessarily inflict upon

There is an admirable spirit in M. tion at issue actually will It is possible to debate the ques- Rolland. He shows no trace of bit- whether Congress has power to fix tages, as well as those who lack both. Holmogoroff, from Petrograd. tion as to whether the larger part of terness toward his countrymen who wages. And, since one combination the result was due to Mr. Hughes's bave given his pleadings such a of unions showed ability to extract only, but in ordinary conversation. personal failure as a candidate and harsh reception. His greatest dis- compliance with its demands from a appointment flows from the failure craven Congress, it is to be expected his resolute refusal to meet the of the intellectuals of Germany to that similar situations will arise in great questions of the campaign respond to his advances—Haupt- future as unions wax ambitious. It musical and those that are harsh and the Germans used to do in Russia. The fairly and bravely, or to a general mann, for example, to whom he ad- will be well for the country to have discordant. for Mr. Wilson and for dressed his first appeal, on August 29, 1914, when news of the burning of Louvain first reached Paris, ure "social justice" legislation. is in the main academic. How- Yet there is no mistaking the fact ever much importance one may that he has failed utterly to affect A Business Manager for the attach to Mr. Hughes's failure, the mind of his country-that, from only deliberate and intentional in- being the leader of thought which justice could obscure the extent of his rich and vivid mind had justly to create the position of business the personal triumph of Mr. Wilson. and alien. He will doubtless return tion has been complicated with per-He has done what none but his to France with the end of the war friends and partisans believed he and witness the gradual restoration cently mentioned gossip sprang up could do, and he has won an in- of normal mental processes which that it was an endeavor to create a dorsement in portions of the nation will then take place. That he will "job" for a member of the Board of count greatly in that restoration Education. That aroused prejuwhich have never before given a seems most unlikely. The point, and dices which have affected all subsesimilar tribute to a Democratic can- the important point, is the conclusion quent discussion of the plan. As a didate for the Presidency, save in that with the noblest will and cour- matter of fact, the idea has been ble, for the double reason that the ears years of Republican factional strife. age to help his nation M. Rolland under consideration for a couple of of the members of the school boards

interesting lesson lies in the prac- dent Willcox pointed out in the

he meant to attack. He writes: rified thought, impotent not only to mess how it was spent. That was master the spectacle of life, but even to understand it. The events of tohave no existence in themselves. They live only when experience or hope venient formulas, necessary formulas; to live or act we can forget them.

What Romain Rolland here wrote with the powers and duties of those

been had. But even this is open to them. One cannot help feeling that filled by the best individual the ad-Whether Mr. Wilson now wins or creed, was its substitution of ideas money the city can afford to spend nize this fact most frankly. If Mr. crucial moment of self-protection, Mont, may represent her state as been able to debate and resolve them, ited military areas. she would have been that much

ly strung body. After victory it ber of its body politic who has failed currents to set them in action.

Of all the railroads which threat-Union Pacific is the first one act-

Now that Election Day has passed, the Mississippi Valley. tled. Of course, this suit will strip the law of any character it may still Western civilization, constituted his falsely preserve as a measure limiting the hours of work. The questhat question as a guide

School Board

It is unfortunate that the project made him, he has become an outcast manager for the Board of Educa- edy. If we wish to improve the voices sonalities. When the plan was rehas pursued the one course which years, off and on, in connection with are not sensitive enough to apply the the project to create a small Board

It is true that intellectualism has authorities was actually one of detoo often seemed to me a caricature fiance-it was their duty to furnish day give me more support in this of Education or the taxpayers. It that the hands-off attitude has been tempted to subordinate realities to position, for the duties and powers of its incumbent will not conflict

> The board has done wisely in votand seamen, Mr. Daniels?

that a different answer might have to his own stand in opposition to ing to create the place. It should be the essential vice of his faith, the ministration can find, for all his real cause of its failure as a working ability will be needed to make the

Machine Wars of the Future

conduct which even if they did not ents and to armed forces; it was as effect of the European war upon the And in that fateful autumn of 1914, be immune from loss of life and de- article "Russia and America," it goes and indeed down through the pres- struction of property. It was further ent, France has been living and act- taken for granted that the number of ing at a speed and with a supreme actual combatants would be a small sian writers to analyze the problem. efficiency that necessitated the aban- proportion of the peoples involved in the war, and that loss of life and de-

There is not one of these limitations intellectual idealism as Rolland up- gether in the wars of the future. held. It runs the normal psychologi- They will not be restricted by sex. The cal course of the individual at bay physical strength which was once the cool intellectual guidance absolutely superseded by machinery; and the hunbreathes again and gradually re- pedoes will be succeeded by a generasumes its normal life. But no mem- tion of women who will switch on the

as before. And is it not equally true pacity for production to such an extent Russian municipalities and create a that a citizen who, for whatever high that the time may not be far distant kind of state in the empire. which comes from life greatly lived? toward universal conscription in every However, he looked through too pessi-

gent human being, who ought to do the so-called eight-hour law the the annihilation of space. The war to American affairs is correct and his area is a definition of the past, and the language exceedingly ually to file its suit. It alleges that Germans, who complained that Freiburg where Mr. Menshikoff fails is in givthe statute is not a proper regula- when it was bombed by the French- ing too much credit to the democratic That is the title of M. Romain tion of interstate commerce, that it was outside the sphere of military ticles on the war which have set all tion against the taking of property lying almost on the borders of Wales koff sees nothing else in American utterances seem moderate enough. support of which contention elab-

The American Voice

(From Youth's Companion) We must admit, although with shame,

in the world. Hearing it all the time, we Americans do not notice how bad it The chief offenders are not the newsboys and other street criers who shout in our ears, but the common run girls, of education and social advan- Alexander De Bodisco or Professor I.

Our voices harsh, our tones nasal. It the fact that the American business is enough to state the fact. Any one can verify it whose ears can distinguish between sounds that are pleasant and

lish girl's voice is so melodious and a missionary of an industrial civilizais usually not so. Each acquires in instruments he carries to the less dechildhood the quality of voice that she hears every day. Our voices are what they are because they are like those of fathers, our mothers and our neighbors.

The fact points the way to the rem-Americans of the next generation we must first train the teachers, for some of the most offensively sharp an! penetrating voices are those of "school-The work should be underma'ams." taken at once. It would be a good rule if it were practicable for school boards to refuse positions to all candidates whose voices are disagreeably harsh and nasal. Probably it is not practica test, and that the number of teachers required is greater than the number

Where Are Our Seamen?

m The Boston Herald The United States dreadnought Arizona, launched at the New York Navy of thought, mutilated, deformed, pet- the money and none of their busi- tion cannot be begun this year.

can fill them. They are only sum- abandoned, it has become evident Turn for a moment from the Arizona maries or hypotheses, outlines of that the board needs an executive—to the Kansas, Vermont and New of which there must be hundreds every what has been or of what will be; cona manager—who can systematize Hampshire. What is the condition of week at the front, the German press and regulate the intricate details of these three battleships? Their crews would have us believe, if we official twaddle about a navy fully manned. "What have you done with our legions?" was the question of the evidently does not desire to bring Romans to an incompetent general. "Bout such a condition at this time."

subscription list to be fined by the fighting German, and Prussianism officers and men of our destroyers for this declaration were accepted, it would the purpose of presenting a loving cup remove our influence toward divided lovely and tend to prevent over-hasty official twaddle about a navy fully to remove or diminish the animosity of n criticism of the German intellect offices, but will extend beyond them our legions?" was the question of the evidently does not desire to bring What have you done with our ships

OUR INVASION OF RUSSIA

The American Business Man Does Not Attempt to Impose Kultur Along with His Business Ventures

To the Editor of The Tribune. Sir: Permit me to answer the edi- America is taking from Europe what torial article of Mr. L. Menshikoff that Europe took from her. However, the than the German point of view, it is was published in a recent issue of the gold that Spain got from America was "Novoe Vremya" in Petrograd, Russia, paralyzed the creative spirit of the were certain considerable restraints on ments throughout Russia and in Eu- not need to work and create anything. The curious part of it is the Germans tion he will remain the strongest upon utter unity and abandon to the upon utter unity and abandon to the attack, he sought to distract attenattack, he sought to distract attention to some theories of faith and conduct which even if they did not rest of Europe. social-political conditions.

trade relations, which seemingly have inspired this most brilliant of Rus-Mr. Menshikoff takes as a motive of his editorial article an incident from Miss Jeanette Rankin, of Missoula, Rolland sought to preach. Had she Mont, may represent her state as been able to debate and resolve them. American machinery, and, so to say, Americanizing a Russian city in all next Congress. She would naturally weaker in her struggle for existence, which the intruding sweep of this war its communication facilities, hygiene Thus at a crisis the nation that has not broken down, and not one which and modern commodities. This work still lives instinctively rejects such does not threaten to disappear alto- was to be done by the Russian-American-Asiatic Corporation, one of the foremost industrial-commercial institutions operating between Russia and of terror, of courage, of anger, of combatant's main qualification has been city of Tomsk had given to the named this country. centred upon and controlling a tensemade munitions for this war and helped steps on the part of Russian municito construct aeroplanes, guns and tor- palities were dangerous. The "Russkoye Slovo" in Moscow and the "Novoe Vremya" in Petrograd published stories as if the Russian-American-Asiatic located in New York, it in the hour of need can ever rank | Science has multiplied the human ca- | would eventually come to rule all

> With these comments of the Russian produce for the whole and leave the press Mr. Menshikoff disagreed and emaining two-thirds free to devote came out in a fiery article in defence business methods state is merely a stage in the tendency mistic glasses at the future evolution to involve the whole human race in of the New World. Mr. Menshikoff has been generally a strong sympa-There will be no territorial limits thizer with everything American system of industrialism, which, according to him, may become a danger

> of America, when the American gold was brought in loads to Spain. been a blessing, but a curse to it," he writes. "It has affected a nation as an enervating toxin. Like overeating, not hesitate in throwing its markets open to American business men of the type of the board of directors of the Russian-American-Asiatic Corpora-Thomas Darlington, Sir Henry M. Pelof people-men and women, boys and latt, A. H. Martens, A. D. Edwards and

So far I fully agree with Mr. Men-shikoff. But where I disagree is in men never think of anything but the American merchants do not preach any American business man, with all his veloped nations American spirit. He s a missionary without preaching anything. In developing a foreign country or exploiting the natural riches of Russia or Far East he is taking only a fair interest on his investment but introducing into that country the soul and body of American energy and

inventive spirit. It seems like a paradox that this the country itself. country is getting back from bleeding Europe what the latter extorted from Secretary Russian - American - Asiatic America since so many centuries. Evi-America since so many centuries. Evi-dently the present war has brought New York, Nov. 7, 1916.

about a reverse step of history; ly civilized nation, they fell behind the

The question is, will the loads of

in the sixteenth century? American racial character of to-day Allies. Spaniard's in the sixteenth century; and ism the part that it played under the of their duty-what their anatic, an American is a man of action, were using poisonous gas a realist and very broadminded. Money to an American is not a subjective but noney just as objectively as he gets a medium of gambling. Riches entirely different thing from what they as high as in Germany. mean to a European. In the former case they are phenomena that belong with a sport; in the latter they have a metaphysical meaning. The American multimillionaire works just as hard as an American pauper. Riches do not affect American active spirit in any paralysing sense, but stimulate it. Gold has nowadays a microscopic

part of that significance in the world's industrial affairs that it had in the sixteenth century. Though we do not realize it, yet the fact is that our modern financial system is based more on paper than on gold. Take for instance Germany. It is isolated from the outside world, yet it keeps on issuing paper The whole world has no gold to pay the debts that the European have made during the war Should there happen a financial panic after this war, you could not find one-tenth enough gold to pay the issued bonds, paper money and other securi-We have come away from the gold basis and are living on the paper basis. We hardly see cash, not to speak of gold coins. In a few more decides we will come to an era where the equivalent of our labor or energy is entirely unrelated to gold and prob ably will be nothing but a bank account without cash. Considering the monetary question from a deeper philosophic point of view, we find that the money presents nothing but a symbol

of our labor, anyhow. forcing the economic organism of the world into new channels, with new labor symbols. Nobody can ever pay the national debts of Europe, if these were to be measured in gold values. It will have to be done by paper that has a more flexible quality. This leads humanity to more abstract devices. It will be immaterial whether we European paper or European gold. Practically we will hold only the symbut not the things themselves It is only in holding the symbols of such primitive countries like Russia that the equivalents have a more solid

We come thus to the conclusion that the excess of gold that we may get from Europe will have little bearing upon our character and economic orwill go to Russia not with the idea of conquering Russia, but with the idea Russian nor other European gold that comes to this country will ruin America as a nation, because the Americans transform it into concrete products of their industrial energy and bring it back to these countries. Neither trals are haunted in our sleep with George Foster Peabody, Alton George Foster Peabody, Alton Parker, R. Fulton Cutting, John Stanchfield, Melville E. Stone, U. Stanchfield, Melville E. Stone, U. Stanchfield, Melville E. Stone, U. Telephone Company, and A. S. Frisse French show great tenacity, but they back to these countries as a more alive are exterminating lives by their meththing. The American influence upon ods of fighting." Europe will mean only stimulation of fancy. "If the British as next spring the old body and strengthening the enterprising and adventurous spirit of

IVAN NARDONY,

IN A FRONT LINE TRENCH

When Hatred Ceased To Be Felt Austro-German Proclamation a Sign Somewhere in France To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: I beg to quote the following from a letter I received last Monday from my brother, Private Thomas Bow- and analytical even for The Tribune.

front "somewhere in France": "On the third morning we were there more the concurrent manifesto of

[in a front line trench] . Yard in June, has been put in commis- brought in a wounded German, whom sion this week. She is a great war they found in a shellhole a short dismachine, a sister to the Pennsylvania, tance from our trench, out in 'No Poland which is held by Prussia must "Idols," especially the idolatry of year. Until recently, when under of 31,400 tons displacement and more Man's Land. They dragged him in go with the Austrian and Russian secand laid him in the trench near our tions if the ancient kingdom is to be hours of the count, when Mr. Wil- Paris whom he held up to such vivid Board of Estimate and Apportion- inch rifles and two anti-aircraft guns. both legs and his right arm had been to the establishment of the new kingsmashed by shrapnel; gangrene had set newspapers which had supported questioned, and he seeks to explain self independent of all control by and perhaps we can afford to wait for in. He was nearly dead, as besides being him most loyally and was written in just what abuses of intellectualism the city administration; indeed, its the vessels of latest design that are to so badly injured he had been without attitude toward the appropriating carry 16-inch guns, though the condi- food or drink for five days. We made tions at our navy yards and the de- him as comfortable as we could, givmands on our biggest private ship- ing him some bread and jam, cigarettes building plants are such that construc- and a little rum. I had about a halt pint of water in my bottle-all that was But the Arizona suffers from a weak- in the party-and I wanted to drink it not a healthy attitude for the Board ness which would prevent the full use so much myself, as we had been short of her armament if at this time she of water for some time, but he pleaded had to go into battle. Guns are use- so hard for water that I had to let view than I wish. The intellectual did not tend to produce economy in less without men behind them. It is him have it. He was so overcome by lives too much in the realm of the handling of funds or efficiency stated that the Arizona has been comshadows, in the realm of ideas. Ideas in the transaction of business. Now missioned with a crew of only 870 men, a child. I suppose he thought we would though her proper complement is 1,084. kill him when we brought him in inshortage of 164 men is serious. stead of treating him as we did." Notwithstanding incidents like these

> have been taken to man the Arizona, read accounts like that of the U-boat ger as the intellectual, for whom the finance committee does not arthinking is a trade and who, through occupational deformity, is always gue against the value of the new line in commission, as against 21 a acter and merits of their British adyear ago." And this after a flood of versaries. But, then, that would tend

> > SAMUEL C. BOWMAN.

"POLAND"

of Weakness

To the Editor of The Tribune

Sir: Your article "Poland" in from my brother, Private Thomas Bow-It should be continually borne in man, of the 86th Machine Guns of mind by the whole world that the Rus-Canada, who is now serving at the sian Emperor's proclamation on this subject antedated by two years or

Central Kaisers. It ought also to be remembered that national sovereignty does not genuinely come as a gift with a string to it, and that that part of The attempt to gain soldiers prior

dom as a sovereign state is a disguise too thin to resist the searchlight of And the suggestion investigation. that the German and Austrian ruling families should provide the new Polish monarch simply signifies that the state to be created would be, in effect, under the suzerainty of the Hohenzollern coalition and of the Hapsburg agglomerate known as the Dual Monarchy either of which is any too permanent ly cohesive. The Austro-German proposition

the strongest sign of internal weakness that-has yet appeared.
MORTIMER THOMPSON. Bath, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1916.

An Opportunity for Mr. Daniels To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: Surely we should not allow our of them oppressing resilities; and no mere fact that the board has now laid up in the reserve yard at Philamonsters of cruelty. How much better New London Chamber of Commerce in They take the oath of allegiance in of them oppressing resilities; and no mere fact that the board has now laid up in the reserve yard at Phila-monsters of cruelty. How much better New London one contributes as much to this dan- an auditor and an active head of delphia. According to an enumeration it would be if the press devoted its rejoicing with our good friends the an American court, but their countries of cruelty. How much better New London on the rejoicing with our good friends the an American court, but their countries of cruelty. How much better New London of the press devoted its rejoicing with our good friends the an American court, but their countries of cruelty. How much better New London of the press devoted its rejoicing with our good friends the an American court, but their countries of cruelty. rine activities. The Hon. Josephus regard them as citizens. Daniels can greatly add to his popularity in naval circles by heading a can to notify his former government subscription list to be filled by the that he abjures it? Whether or not

E. M. F. naturalization. Norfolk, Conn., Nov. 6, 1916. Niagara Falls, N. Y., Nov. 4, 1916.

THE HINDENBURG MANIFESTO Charges of Allied Weakness Are

Turned Against Germans

To the Editor of The Tribune. Sir: Knowing the German mind and its utter ineapability of grasping other Pending Questions Should easy to understand Field Marshal von Hindenburg's summing up of the sup-Spaniards, who thought that they did posed weakened condition of the Allies. seem to think that they have only to

soldier, whose main quality is blind obedience, von Hindenburg is gold that we are getting from Europe fully delineating the only people he is affect our national organism in the capable of understanding—the Gersame way as it affected that of Spain mans. Every crime committed by the Germans since the commencement of The answer to that is that the the war they have laid first upon the France was accused of dropdiffers fundamentally from that of a ping bombs on Nuremberg; a pitiful Spaniard's in the sixteenth century; and cry was sent up that the desperately the fact that the gold has ceased to play wicked Belgians were ill-treating poor under present conditions of industrial- German soldiers while in the execution While a Spaniard Belgium were all the world knows. was and is still a dreamer, a post and The Allies, we were told by Berlin, fore the truth came from France that the inventors and first users of that an objective thing. He likes to make ghastly weapon were Germans. Then money, but more in the sport than rethey sank the Lusitania, pretending to ligious spirit. An American spends his believe that it was fully armed, and hoping to make the world believe it.

as a medium of gambling. Riches an that the cost of bread in England was no doubt that the leading men in Japan supposed to know that bread in England is made of wheat flour and not potatoes, or whatever German science has concected to look like "the staff of France, von Hindenburg tells us, is

dying; "she will have no soldiers left if she continues the war much longer." We thought she had been very much alive around Verdun and the Somme Does he think that he can make any

body believe that her allies, with Australia, Africa, India and Canada to call upon, will allow France to die? What the German field marshal

really means is: Germany is dying. She and her allies have no colonies to Even their loyal subjects draw upon. Even their loyal subjects resident abroad are impotent and can only show their fidelity to the fatherland by blowing up munition factories and making fruitless attempts upon the lives of bankers, the President and munition workers-biting the generous hands that have fed them. We are told that the West front is

unbreakable, and that the Allies would have to attack for thirty years before they could break through. If it gets a more kinks like the one from Albert to the Somme River it won't have Suppose the Allies should decide to play a waiting game for thirty years; could Germany afford to hold out? Is it not costing Germany just as much to be bottled up as it is costing the Allies to bottle her? "Russia's plight is bad, and Ru-mania's end is near." When Germany

gets mad because she cannot overcome Russia she will whip Rumania. That is to be expected. Look at her list of victories. Germany, the greatest military power in the world, has conquered Belgium, Serbis, Poland, and no doubt Rumania will be added to the list. But that will be a doubtful glory for future Germans to boast about. A good plan is to take von Hinden-

burg's words and reverse each sen-tence. You will then have the facts of the past to enable you to read the real meaning of German predictions. Here is an instance of what is meant: "One does a great injustice to an army commander by attributing to him a pro says the field marshal. Now look back: Paris, Calais, London. and so forth. Even the dates for the entry into these cities were carefully tabulated in the German programme.

We are to believe from von Hindenmore money out of Russian burg that Enver Pacha is a clean, hontrade and having a wider field of ac-tivity. Besides this there is a touch of lent soldier. While the Teuton felici-

German lives, we will rob France of the remainder of her army and her national strength"army and her German rength. AGNES D. CAMP. Fordham Heights, N. Y. Nov. 8, 1916.

The American Aviation Corps

To the Editor of The Tribune. Sir: A Washington dispatch pub-lished this morning reads:

"The famous American Aviation Corps of the French army probably soon will lose its distinctive title as result of protests to the State Department that use of the name is not compatible with American neutrality."

The act of our Administration in thus disowning these heroic young men can only be accepted by France as something which is both unfriendly and stupid. In the opinion of many people these denatured Americans are our noblest type to-day.

I have just sent to a friend in the

corps the following cablegram: Nov. 3, 1916.

Lieutenant Cowdin,
American Aviation Corps,
Soins Ministers Guerre, Paris,
If through the act of expatriation necessitated in your enlistment in French army
you are technically deprived of the right to
be known as the American Aviation Corps he known as the American Aviation Corps I would suggest that to change your name to Lafayette Aviation Corps would not imply any withdrawal of American sympathy. You have already shown that Americans are willing not only to offer their lives, but to aerifice their pride of nationality in acknowledgment of America's debt to France. THOMAS ROBINS.

New York, Nov. 3, 1916.

Divided Loyalty

To the Editor of The Tribune. Sir: The first citizens of the American Republic announced to England, with no uncertain voice, that they were

no longer English subjects. At present for igners seeking naturalization here do not let their native countries know that they have "ab-

abjured them."

They take the eath of allegiance in an American court, but their countries of crigin knew nothing of it, and still

Why not require the would-be Amer-

A. W. H.

JAPAN, SAYS GARY

KEEP PEACE WITH

Be Settled Right, He Tells Japan Society "It seems to me that if ever we have

serious trouble with Japan, it will be

as much the fault of the United States the Philippines, was the guest of bone

Japan Society of New York in the Bast

era' Club.

"I endeavored to ascertain the res sentiment of Japanese people tour the United States," said Mr. Gary, "and to inform the Japanese of what I be lieve to be the real feeling in this and patient investigation, and after via iting the homes of Japanese leader who ought to know, and who were fresh Recently it was given out in Berlin and unrestrained in expression, I have earnestly desire to maintain cordict. of any trouble that cannot be reme by mutual, satisfactory and enter adjustment. We cannot and we out never to blink these facts. Prey patriot ought to resist with all his power any influence to stir up treak between these two nations."

Must Settle Questions Right

Must Settle Questions hight
Mr. Gary urged all loyal eitises of
the United States to work toward as
amicable settlement of all the question
now in dispute between the two sentries. He declared these question
would have to be settled right, or the
would always prove vexations.
"But there are not going to be any
irreconcilable differences," said be
'Both nations are equally saxious to "Both nations are equally anxious in avoid trouble. Both desire peace as tranquillity. They may be and should be leaders in the reconstruction and almost ruined social structure. They may work together to establish as maintain an impartial and satisfactory for the settlement of all interesting the settlement of

forum for the settlement of all interes-tional controversies, which is the en-most desirable thing to be considered Mr. Gary said he believed Japan ha Mr. Gary said he believed Japan had no desire to gain territorial foethed in China, but merely wanted an open door policy which would enable he to sell her goods wherever and whoever she pleased in the casters republic. He said Japan was taking little interest in the war outside a the sale of her goods to the amin of her allies.

Millions in Trade for U. S. Dr. T. Iyenaga, director of the East and West News Bureau, and forme and West News Bureau, and forms professor at Chicago University, spek Far East. ment of Formosa, Corea and Son Manchuria had meant millions of do lars in foreign trade to this coun A. Barton Hepburn, chairman

dent of the Eric Railroad; W. Straight, American International Corporation; W. H. Marshall, president the American Locomotive Compan John A. Sleicher, editor of "Leab Weekly": Stephen Baker, president the Bank of Manhattan; Jerome Greene, secretary of Foundation; William vice-president of the Louis Wiley; Leroy

Company; George Mayor John Purroy D. Norton, vice-presi National Bank; H

ONLY TWO OFFICERS OF 47TH RESIGNING

Reported Effect of Jannicky's Reinstatement Dealed

Officers of the 47th Regiment resignates of the commissioned officers of the organization had followed the reinstatement of Ernest E. Jannicky as coloniment of Ernest E. Jannicay as Two resignations alone were acknowledged; that of Captain Arthur H. Snowball of Company F, who asked to be put on the retired list, and that of Captain Morton G. Stockbridge of Company G, whose increasing business duties mass it necessary for him to give up his military interests.

Lieutenant James M. Brown, acting captain of Company E, who was said to captain of Company E, who was said to

stration in young men france as some of the france as some officers of the 47th had resigned.

At the National Guard headquarter. it was said that the fact that then was dissension in the 47th had been known for some time. It was believed that the disordered accounts of the regiment, and the careless way in whi its affairs had been managed had the officers feel that their asso

with the organization would acco-plish nothing, and they preferred Brigadier General George R. Dyer division commander, inspected the 67th

at its Brooklyn armory last night LECTURES AT COOPER UNION

Five College Presidents To Be Rest Saturday Nights

Saturday Nights

Five college presidents and the erector of one of the largest prisms schools in the country will deliver a scries of lectures on "Phases of Education" at Cooper Union, beginning it morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Dr. David Starr Jordan, of Laist Stanford University, will open the series and will talk upon "Education for Peace."

The other lectures are as following the country of the City of New York, "The City of the City of New York, "The City of Its College."

Saturday, December 2. Miss Woolley, president of Mount College, "The Education of the

Saturday, December 9, Dr. The Baker, director of the Tome Port Deposit, Md., "The America Saturday, December 16, Dr. A. Richmond, president of Unit legs, "Fundamental Values in tion."